

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA  
NORTHERN DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA            )  
  )  
v.                                        )     CASE NO. 2:07cr142-MHT  
  )  
TORRENCE KENDALL SURLS            )

UNITED STATES' MOTION TO SUBSTITUTE COUNSEL

Comes now the United States of America, by and through Leura G. Canary, United States Attorney, Middle District of Alabama, and hereby moves the Court to substitute Assistant United States Attorney Tommie Brown Hardwick, as counsel for the United States of America in this matter in place of former Assistant United States Attorney John T. Harmon.

Respectfully submitted this 19<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2008.

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on February 19, 2008, I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system which will send notification of such filing to all counsel of record.

Respectfully submitted,

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